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The exodus of angling tourists to Southern waters, particularly to those of Florida, does not occur until about the middle of January; the few know-no-ones, however, who annually go to that section do so much earlier, or if restricted in time or pocket, defer their visit until April and remain as a rule during the month of May. They have found that the water is warmer in November and in those of the early spring the best results for the rod will be the rule and the climatic conditions more favorable. In the latter part of the year they found the temperature oppressive during these months, even in southern Florida, or on the coast of Texas, or anywhere else in the South. They have found that Rio Grande. In fact, nearly every day a refreshing southeast trade wind sets in early in the morning and does not die until late in the daylight, with the resultant lowering of the temperature of the night—Outing.

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DOMINICK GIDDINGS
RESTS IN GLENWOOD

INHERITED TRAITS

As the result of investigations made in England Prof. Karl Pearson claims that, as a rule, ability, probity, gentility, and other physical characteristics are inherited from parents, just as truly as physical characteristics are. He concludes, therefore, that intelligence may be trained and aided by education, but that schooling cannot create it. It is a product of breeding and no nation that finds itself falling behind in the intellectual race can save itself through educational machinery. It must go back to the schools and look out for the quality of its human stock.—Philadelphia Record.

Bears the
Signature
of *Chas. H. Fletcher.*

Prominent in the Church and Sunday School Work of Dumbarton Methodist Congregation.

Inspector of Buildings Submits Report
on Baltimore Conflagration to the
District Commissioners.

Snowden Ashford, Building Inspector for the District, today submitted to the District Commissioners a report of his trip through the fire ruins in Baltimore, for the purpose of obtaining suggestions as to the best methods to be employed in building, so as to prevent such conflagrations.

"Our provisions of law limiting the height of buildings has been shown to advantage, as the limit of our buildings in resident sections to 80 feet and the height of 110 feet in business sections, brings the buildings within the range of

Mr. Ashford emphasizes the importance of having a good average in the height of the buildings of the city, as this removes the possibility of towering walls falling on lower ones. The report, which is taken up for the most part with technical descriptions and comparisons of different building materials, brings out the inspector's opinion that Washington is safe from such a visitation as came to Baltimore.

The report, as submitted to Colonel Biddle, was accompanied by a large number of photographs taken under Mr. Ashford's supervision, and showing views of the ruins.

LOCAL MUSICIANS HEAR STRAUSS IN MORGANTOWN

A party of Washingtonians left the Capital after the Choral Society concert last evening for Morgantown, W. Va., to attend a Strauss festival to be held there today.

Through the enterprise and energy of Sydney Lloyd Wrightson, dean of the Music College at Morgantown, this community of 16,000 persons may be the only city, excepting half a dozen notable musical centers, to hear the works of the greatest modern composer conducted by himself. The entire Pittsburgh orchestra will assist. A part of the expense is paid by the State.

THE REV. H. W. PRATT
INSTALLED AS PASTOR

The installation of the Rev. Harry W. Pratt as pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, 2145 P Street northwest, yesterday morning, was attended

by a congregation which filled the little church to overflowing. The installation sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Lupton, of Leesburg, Va., who spoke of the power of Jesus as a preacher. Christ, he said, was "an ordinary man; He was eloquent only as the truth is eloquent; He employed the language of the common people, and His sermons were remarkable because of their simplicity. The obvious reason for this was that

The charge to the new pastor was made by the Rev. F. J. Brooke, of Alexandria, and the charge to the congregation of the church was made by the Rev. Robert M. Preston, of Leesburg, Va.

IN THE OLDEN DAYS.

Perry tells in his diary that in the reign of King Charles II a customer bargaining with a London merchant for brandy hired a confederate to "thunder (which he had the art of doing upon a deal board) and to raim and hail—that is, make the noise of—so as to give the customer a pretence of undervaluing their merchant's wines, by saying his thunder would spoil and turn them, which was so reasonable to the merchant that he did abate two pilsolls per tun for the same in belief of that."—Chicago News.

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NEW ORLEANS, March 14.—In the hold of the American steamship Louisiana, coming from Havana to New Orleans, when 100 miles off land, K. Sugimura, a 16-year-old Japanese, scratched and bit his victim. The ship's hold contained several lions and leopards, which also became excited at the sight of blood and the boy's cries for help.

man-eating panther. The boy was so unmercifully bitten on the arm that he attracted the attention of his father, who quickly rushed to his son's assistance, followed by Captain Hopper and the foremen.

The panther's claws had torn the Jap's clothing and lacerated the flesh. The animal was foaming at the mouth, and the boy was bleeding freely from his cuts, between which the ferocious beast

cracked the other animals stuck their heads. The boy was screaming in agony. Finally, a half-dead panther was released by pinning the panther to the far side of the cage with rods. The boy was then taken to the hospital, but closer, and did not let go until a part of the latter's ribs had been exposed. The boy was then taken to the hospital, but closer, and did not let go until a part of the latter's ribs had been exposed. The boy was then taken to the hospital, but closer, and did not let go until a part of the latter's ribs had been exposed.

Hard work. Two physicians abused the Hawaiian, attended to his unconscious, and secured his release.

derstood that in the appointments made by the bishop for next year no change is made in this neighborhood. The church has no station in Washington.

INCENDIARIES AT WORK.
Incendiarists early Sunday morning set fire to the blacksmith shop of Charles F. Cronk, in South Alfred Street, between Wilkes and Gibbons Streets. The flames were discovered and extinguished by the fire department.

by employees of the Southern Railway before they had done much damage to the shop. This is the second time that this building has been on fire within the last few weeks and the police are using every effort to locate the fire fiend.

DR. POWELL'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Dr. John S. Powell took place this morning at the Methodist Episcopal Church South, the Rev. J. P. Stump officiating. The pallbearers were Thoras Perry, J. C. Milburn, W. A. Smoot, Edgar Warfield, J.

MRS. PENN DEAD. Mrs. Louise J. Penn, a well-known Alexandria matron, died at her home

BUSTLE IN FISHTOWN. Fishtown, the odoriferous portion of Alexandria, is now cleared up, ready for its busy life of the next five months.

IN POLICE COURT.

In the police court, Justice H. B. Cutton presiding, the following cases were disposed of this morning:

JAMES MAYHEW by Policeman Ferguson and Acting Lieutenant Knight charged with entering the office of the police court, was fined \$10. It being shown that the prisoner had been unconscious of what he was about.

JOHN PECK charged by W. J. Mayhew with stealing a sack of flour, was fined \$10.

JAMES MAYHEW made the same arrest.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.
Dr. Charles Becker suffered a stroke of paralysis on Friday night and is now

lying in a critical condition at his home on Prospect Avenue northwest. Dr. Becker is prominent in Masonic circles in the District. The right side of his head and neck is affected by the stroke.

MISSIONARY MEETING.
A missionary meeting was held last night at the Dumbarton Avenue Church, at which Mrs. Helen Foster, president of the Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of the United States,

DOG WITH RABIES.
Policeman Giles, of the Seventh precinct, shot a dog belonging to Sparshott, of West Street, Fort on Saturday at the request of the owner. The canine was thought to have been suffering with rabies.

TRIP TO CALIFORNIA.
A description of the proposed pilgrimage to California of the Knights Templar of the District of Columbia, in answer to the following question:

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